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FM AMEMBASSY KHARTOUM
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4336
INFO AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA
AMEMBASSY ABIDJAN
AMEMBASSY CAIRO
AMEMBASSY JIDDA
AMEMBASSY MOGADISCIO

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ABIDJAN FOR AMBASSADORS BREWER AND LOUGHRAN

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PFOR, US, SO
SUBJECT: US/SOMALI RELATION

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1. EVENING MAY 6 AMBASSADOR HAD OPPORTUNITY DISCUSS
SIAD'S FAILURE RECEIVE AMBASSADOR LOUGHRAN WITH
MINSTATE FONAFFS DENG. DENG HAD NO INDEPENDENT INFO
RE EPISODE, BUT HE WAS VERY INTERESTED IN OUR REPORT.
IN DISCUSSING IT, DENG OFFERED TWO POSSIBLE INTERPRE-
TATIONS. IT MIGHT SIGNAL GO-SLOW TACTIC RE USG
WITHOUT INDICATING SAME VIS-A-VIS REGIONAL MODERATES
SUCH AS SUDAN AND SAUDI ARABIA. OR IT COULD REFLECT
CAUTION BY SIAD ON EVE MENGISTU'S VISIT TO MOSCOW,
ASSUMING HE WAS AWARE OF IT IN ADVANCE. HE MAY HAVE
THOUGHT MEETING WITH AMERICAN AMBASSADOR JUST PRIOR
MENGISTU'S VISIT TO USSR COULD POSSIBLY HAVE BEEN

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MARGINALLY UNHELPFUL TO SOMALI LEADER.

2. COMMENT: DENG IS NOT RPT NOT PRIVY TO ALL
ASPECTS CURRENT EFFORTS WOO SOMALIA AWAY FROM
SOVIETS. WE EXPECT, HOWEVER, THAT HE WILL BRIEF
HIS SUPERIORS ON CONVERSATION WITH AMBASSADOR.
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